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PROVIDING A PROJECTION BEAM OF EUV RADIATION

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 12, 2005, a response to which being due on January 12, 2006 with a three-month extension of time being filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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